Implementation of National Water Management Project

4349. SHRI RAM NARESH YADAV: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the National Water Management Project is being implemented with World Bank assistance since 1987;

(b) if so, the details of such assistance received during the last three years, year-wise;

(c) the main objectives of the project;

(d) the details of benefits from the project so far; and

(e) the States which are likely to be benefited therefrom?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Details of disbursement under this project during the last three years are as under:

Year	Disbursement (in million dollars)
1988-89 . . .	Nil
1989-90 . . .	6·050
1990-91 . . .	11·582

(c) The purpose of the project is to increase productivity and farm incomes in existing irrigation schemes through a more reliable, predictable irrigation service. To achieve these objectives, provision has been made for low cost infrastructural improvements designed to support an improved operational plan.

(d) Sixty eight Sub-projects taken up so far are currently under implementation. It is too early to assess the benefits. However, some sub-projects taken up in Tamil Nadu and Karnataka have already started showing encouraging results.

(e) To begin with, the programme was taken up in the states of Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka and Tamil Nadu. Subsequently, the States of Kerala, Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Madhya Pradesh & Orissa have also been included under this programme. The Maharashtra Induction Training programme is also a component of this Project.

Flood Control Projects in Uttar Pradesh

4350. SHRI RAM NARESH YADAV: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the details including the estimated cost of each of the food control projects in Uttar Pradesh which are pending with the Union Government;

(b) the time by which those are likely to be cleared;

(c) the details of the ongoing flood control project in the State; and

(d) the benefits derived from those projects so far?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA): (a) Out of 24 flood management schemes costing Rs. 69.38 crores received for technical appraisal, 10 schemes costing Rs. 16.86 crores have been recommended to the Planning Commission for approval. Observation on others, except two received recently, have been sent for compliance to the State Government.

(b) The time of clearance depends mainly on the prompt submission of satisfactory replies to the observations by the State Government.

(c) and (d) At present 371 schemes with spill-over cost of about Rs. 194 crores, are ongoing for flood management in the State. The benefits derived so far from management schemes cover an area of 15 lakh hectares.

सिंचाई सुविधाओं वाले क्षेत्रों का विस्तार

4335. **श्री अजीत जोगी :**
कुमारी आलिया :

क्या कृषि संबंधित मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार ने चालू वर्ष के दौरान देश में सिंचाई सुविधाओं वाले

क्षेत्रों का विस्तार करने की कोई कार्यवाही योजना तैयार की है ;

(ख) यदि हां, तो उसका ब्यौरा क्या है ;

(ग) इसको कब तक क्रियान्वित किए जाने की संभावना है ; और

(घ) इस योजना के अंतर्गत मध्य प्रदेश और उत्तर प्रदेश को कौन कौन से लाभ दिए जाएंगे ?

जल संसाधन मंत्री (श्री विद्याचरण शुक्ल (क) से (घ) योजना के अनुसार वर्ष 1991-92 (जुलाई, 1991 से जून, 1992 के अंत तक) के लिए 29.99 लाख हैक्टेयर की सिंचाई क्षमता और 26.96 लाख हैक्टेयर के उपयोग का लक्ष्य है । ये लक्ष्य वृहद, मध्यम और लघु सिंचाई स्कीमों के जरिए प्राप्त किए जाने का प्रस्ताव है । वर्ष 1991-92 के लिए मध्य प्रदेश और उत्तर प्रदेश सरकारों के लक्ष्य (लाख हैक्टयेर में) नीचे दिए गए हैं ।

(लाख हैक्टेयर में)

राज्य	वर्ष 1991-92 के लिए लक्ष्य	
	क्षमता	उपयोग
मध्य प्रदेश	1.90	1.70
उत्तर प्रदेश	12.63	10.87

Erosion by Ghaghra River in Azamgarh District

4352. SHRI RAM NARESH YADAV: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a Central team from Flood Control Board and Central Water Commission was sent to study the erosion by river Ghaghra in Azamgarh district beside the Mahula Gadhawal Bend, and whether the report has been submitted; and

(b) if so, what are the salient features of the report?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA): (a) and (b) The Central team has visited the area to study the erosion by river Ghaghra in Azamgarh district and suggested construction of spurs for the protection of Gauri Shankar Temple. The team has also recommended to construct raised platforms at suitable locations in the village on the reverside of Mahula Gadhawal Bund to provide relief to the people during floods.

Area of Cultivable and Irrigated Land

4353. SHRI RAMACHANDRAN PILLAI: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state what is the area of cultivable land, irrigated land State/Union Territory wise?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA): A Statement is enclosed.

Statement

(In thousand hectares)

S. No.	State/Union Territory	Total cultivable area	Net irrigated area (1988-89)
1	2	3	4
1	Andhra Pradesh	16186	4258
2	Arunachal Pradesh	290	32
3	Assam	3229	572